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SUBJECT: BRAZIL MOVES CLOSER TO A DECISION ON ENRICHED URNAIUM REACTORS

1. REPORTS IN THE BRAZILIAN PRESS DURING THE PAST WEEK, CONFIRMED BY SOURCES WITHIN THE NATIONAL NUCLEAR ENERGY COMMISSION (CNEN), STATE THAT PRESIDENT GEISEL HAS APPROVED BRAZIL'S JOINING THE ASSOCIATION FOR CENTRIFUGE ENRICHMENT (ACE) OF URENCO. A HIGH OFFICIAL OF THE BRAZILIAN NUCLEAR TECHNOLOGY COMPANY (CBTN) IN CONVERSATION WITH AN AMERICAN BUSINESSMAN HAS BEEN REPORTED AS STATING THAT CBTN IS WILLING TO FINANCE AND INSTALL A PILOT CENTRIFUGE PLANT IN BRAZIL.

2. THE BRAZILIAN PRESS HAS REPORTED THAT GOB HAS OPTED FOR ALINE OF ENRICHED URANIUM LIGHT WATER REACTORS. SOURCES WITHIN CNEN HAVE CAUTIONED THAT THIS IS NOT YET STRICTLY TRUE BUT THAT THEIR THINKING IS GOING IN THIS DIRECTION. A RELIABLE SOURCE IN THE U.S. BUSINESS COMMUNITY IN BRAZIL REPORTS THAT BRAZIL WILL SHORTLY CHOOSE ONE SINGLE REACTOR TYPE FOR THE NEXT SERIES OF INSTALLATIONS.
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